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Masayuki Higuchi, et al.

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For: ELECTROOPTICAL DEVICE, METHOD  
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME,  
AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add new claim 81.

Please amend claims 1-3, 16-17, 42 and 48 to read as follows:

1. (Amended) A display device comprising a pixel matrix circuit constituted by a plurality of pixels each including at least one TFT and a pixel electrode connected to the TFT,

wherein a contact portion for electrical connection to the TFT is disposed at a part of the

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